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## PLANNING COMMISSION SPECIAL WORK SESSION AGENDA

# DAVID GEBHARD PUBLIC MEETING ROOM 630 GARDEN STREET TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2016 8:30 A.M.

Website: www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov

### **NOTICES:**

- A. This special work session of the Planning Commission can be viewed live on City TV-18, or on your computer at <a href="www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/CityTV">www.SantaBarbaraCA/CityTVProgamGuide</a> for a rebroadcast schedule. An archived video copy of this meeting will be viewable, on computers with high speed internet access, the next business day at <a href="http://www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/PCVideos">http://www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/PCVideos</a>.
- B. **AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT:** If you need auxiliary aids or services or staff assistance to attend or participate in this meeting, please contact the Administrative Specialist at (805) 564-5470, extension 1971. If possible, notification at least 48 hours prior to the meeting will usually enable the City to make reasonable arrangements. Specialized services, such as sign language interpretation or documents in Braille, may require additional lead time to arrange.
- C. AGENDAS, MINUTES and REPORTS: Copies of all documents relating to agenda items are available for review at 630 Garden St. and agendas and reports are posted online at <a href="www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/PC">www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/PC</a>. Please note that online Staff Reports may not include some exhibits. Materials related to an item on this agenda submitted to the Planning Commission after distribution of the agenda packet are available for public inspection in the Community Development Department located at 630 Garden St., during normal business hours.

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## I. ROLL CALL

## II. PRELIMINARY MATTERS:

Comments from members of the public pertaining to items not on this agenda. [Due to time constraints, each person is limited to two (2) minutes.]

## III. RECOMMENDATION TO CITY COUNCIL:

### AVERAGE UNIT DENSITY (AUD) INCENTIVE PROGRAM

The Planning Commission will discuss the Average Unit-Size Density (AUD) Incentive Program (Santa Barbara Municipal Code Chapter 28.20). The purpose of the meeting is to review the AUD Incentive Program policy objectives in the General Plan and Zoning Ordinance, consider whether the stated objectives are being met, and/or if minor ordinance amendments should be considered, and provide a recommendation to City Council.

The AUD Incentive Program carries out a key program directed by the 2011 General Plan. The Program facilitates the construction of smaller housing units by allowing increased density and development standard incentives in selected areas of the City. Housing types that provide housing opportunities to the City's workforce are encouraged and facilitated by the program.

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### IV. ADJOURNMENT

### CITY OF SANTA BARBARA PLANNING COMMISSION

#### MEETING PROCEDURES

**PUBLIC COMMENT PROCEDURE:** You are welcome to attend this hearing. The public is invited to speak on any item on the Planning Commission Agenda. After receiving recognition from the Chair, please approach the podium and speak into the microphone. State your name and purpose for appearing. Your name and comments will be entered into the public record.

The order of presentation after the Chair introduces the item is as follows:

- 1. Presentation by Staff (15 minutes)\*.
- 2. Presentation by Applicant (15 minutes)\*.
- 3. Public Hearing\*.
- 4. Additional response by Applicant/Staff (5 minutes each)\*.
- 5. Questions and comments by the commission.
- 6. Commission consideration of Findings and Conditions of Approval.
- 7. Motion, discussion of motion, decision, and vote by the Commission.

### \*Time may be extended or limited by the Chair of the Planning Commission.

Items that generate a large amount of citizen interest may be taken out of their scheduled order on the agenda as a courtesy to the public in attendance. Where there are a large number of people wishing to speak on an item, the Chairman may limit time allotted to each speaker.

WRITTEN COMMENT PROCEDURE: Written comments are welcome and will be entered into the public record. Written information should be submitted prior to the meeting at the Planning Division Office, 630 Garden St; by mail attention Planning Commission Secretary, P.O. Box 1990, Santa Barbara, CA 93102-1990; or by email at PCSecretary@SantaBarbaraCA.gov, and received no later than 4:30 P.M. on the Thursday before the Planning Commission Special Work Session. Please submit 12 copies of any written materials over 2 pages. Written comments are accepted at and up to the time of the hearing; however, the Planning Commission may not have time to consider materials submitted after the Thursday, September 1, 2016 deadline.

It is not possible to determine the precise time an item will be heard. The Planning Commission sessions are broadcast live on the Government Access Television Channel 18. Monitoring will assist in determining when the item will come up. Any continued items are announced at the beginning of the meeting and repeated throughout the meeting by the Chair.

**APPEALS AND SUSPENSIONS:** Many of the items before the Commission may be appealed to the City Council. For further information on appeals, contact the Planning Division Staff or the City Clerk's Office.

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